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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2008 please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Enclosed with the response is a petition for a one month extension of time extending the period for response up to, and including, February 16, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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